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April 8, 2008

This is the 21st Annual Public Health Week celebration sponsored by the County of Los Angeles, Department of Public Health, in collaboration with the various community groups, organizations, schools and other County Departments.

The purpose of sponsoring Public Health Week is to increase community awareness and understanding of the on-going efforts made by the Department of Public Health and its partners in preventing and controlling the spread of diseases, ensuring a healthy environment for all County residents, and preparing for emergencies including natural and bioterrorism disasters.

All residents are encouraged to attend the many activities and health fairs that are scheduled throughout the County, during Public Health Week. This year's Public Health Week theme is, "Healthy People: Healthy Planet Climate Change in LA."

I, THEREFORE MOVE THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

Proclaim **the week of April 7 – 13, 2008 as Public Health Week** throughout Los Angeles County, and in doing so, urge all citizens, city officials, as well as community groups, clubs and organizations to join this effort in promoting good public health practices throughout our communities.

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